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#### Money Made by Beggars.

No beggar in New York makes less than \$5 a day, according to the New York Times. They receive contributions varying from one penny to \$25. Some of them are experts in their tines and play only for donations of \$5 and \$10 and upward, telling plauswives and starving children, of funeral expenses, and other harrowing experiences that appeal to the sympathies of tender hearted humanity.

#### Fad Advances Prices.

At present a fancy value attaches to old pewter, to old fire dogs and fire backs, snuffers, brass candlesticks and the like. A "find" of this kind occurred recently at a farm at Kingsworthy, near Winchester, where an "old tub" was found to be a standard Winchester bushel of bell metal. The object, which the farmer had sold for a few shillings, was sold later for \$300. -London Country Gentleman.

#### Men Arranged Divorce Laws.

Although more wives obtain divorces than husbands no authority for giving a woman a divorce will be found in either Buddhism. Taoism. Shintoism, Confucianism, Hindooism. Mohammedanism, Judaism or Christianity. But that part of the several faiths was arranged by the men folk as a personal matter of their own.

Dog Leg Is Set. Among the patients treated at the General hospital, Birmingham, recently, was a pup, which had its brokentered in the patient book as Bogey McGuire, age seven months, of 32 George street, and got a pink ticket entitling him to return for further treatment.

# Sunshine Death to Germa.

It was a Japanese man of science Kitatse, who first demonstrated that most of the germs of consumption and other diseases found in the dust are harmless, a single hour of synshine sufficing to kill them. Were it not for this agency of the sun, the globe would soon be depopulated.

Railroads of Wood. There are several wooden rallways in Canada and the United States. One of them is in the province of Quebec are of maple, and trains are run over them with remarkable smoothness at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour

# Wail of a Bookworm.

t do not know that I am happiest when alone; but this I am sure of that I am never long even in the so ciety of her I love without a vearning for the company of my lamp and my utterly confused and tumbled-over li brary.- Byron.

# Successful Blind Shoemaker.

A blind man in Lynn has met with much success as a maker of custom shoes. He has been able to fit many feet in a most satisfactory manner simply by securing the size by feeling of the feet.-Shoe Retailer.

# Bar Soiled Clothes from Cars.

The street railroads of San Francisco, in accordance with - request by the board of health, have issued an order against the carrying of soiled clothes on their cars in bundles on baskets.

#### The Face of a Friend. The lightsome countenance of a friend giveth such an inward decking

to the house where it lodgeth, as proudest palaces have cause to envy the gilding.-Sir P. Sydney. Uncle Jasper's Philosophy.

eb generosity," remarked Uncle Jas-

per, "but no one eber heard ob de

Edible Menu Cards. The latest thing in hotel bills of fare is stated to be an edible menu to urge the Legislature to form a new

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## **NEW MEXICO NEWS SUMMARY**

#### Governor's Message,

Both bouses of the Legislature met annuary 17th to hear the message of Governor M. A. Otero. The first bills of the session were introduced in the House by Representative R. L. Baca one providing an appropriation of \$30,000 for a mansion for the executive of a second providing an appropriation to complete the scenic route between Santa Fe and Las Vegas, and a third providing for the paving of the public plans of Santa Fe with brick furnished by the penitentiary and by con

Governor Otero's message made a favorable impression. His recommendations for economy in legislative expense, for a new primary, registration, \$200,000. The incorporators and Governor Otero's message made a penalty for bribery, for a severe gation of every territorial board and office, especially the land commission, for better enforcement of the Sunday laws and for grammar and high schools in rural districts and better road laws, are meeting with the approval of Democrats as well as Repub-

licans. The governor referred to the assassination of Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Francisco Chaves, last November and the death of Solicitor General Edward L. Bortlett the month before. He asks for an appropriation not to exceed \$2,500, to be used in ferreting out the assassin of Colonel Chaves and asks the repeal of the ible stories of unpaid rents, dying statute which prohibits the governor from offering any reward for the ap-

prehension of criminals. Governor Otero calls attention to the fact that at the close of the fiscal year there were balances in the terri-torial treasury aggregating \$250,000. and alludes to the reduction of the bonded indebtedness since two years ago from \$1,122,200 to \$949,000. Of the balances \$230,000 is in designated depositories, drawing three per cent, interest. He reports that the casual deficit bonds of 1893 have been re-

funded, saving the territory \$20,000. The governor recommends the re peal of the law which provides for the apportionment of revenue to be raised among the counties by the board of equalization, and asks that the board of equalization and the traveling auditor be given power to revise and correct the assessment rolls in detail and be authorized to assess such property which has been overlooked or returned too low by the assessor and

county commissioners. The following recommendations are

That the bond of the territorial auditor be reduced from \$100,000 to \$25 000. That the treasurer of the New Mexico Military Institute be required to give bond. That the traveling auditor be required to examine be given an assistant. That all salaries, and, if not, that the fees they en leg put into splints. The dog was are permitted to retain be limited to a certain maximum per annum and any fees above that placed to the credit of the school fund. That no fees should be allowed the assessor or the sheriff on license money and to treasurers for interest collected.

He recommends the creation of the position of territorial insurance commissioner, at no expense to the territory, but to be paid by the insurance companies being taxed a small int, the surplus to go to the volunteer fire companies of the territory.

The creation of an office to be called that of territorial irrigation engineer is recommended. The governor advocates a new jury system, curiew legislation and the prohibition of the sale of liquor within five miles of any federal reservation for sanitarium pur-

Governor Otero asks that a severe penalty be imposed both upon the Roswell. bribe offerer, the bribe giver and the He also asks that the professional lobbyist be excluded from the floor of the Legislature.

A libel law is asked, and a provision that the governor be authorized to remove summarily any county commissioner who shall cause illegal fees to be paid out, or any official found guilty of accepting such fees.

The message asks aid for the food sufferers of fast fall to the extent at least of providing those who need it with sand for spring planting.

In conclusion Governor Otero appeals to the legislators to pass resoutions regarding the volcing the sentiment of the people on the statehood question. He refrains from expressing his opinion on he matter, desiring the legislators to be entirely uninfluenced.

# Prevention of Floods.

The question of preventing floods in the Rio Grande valley when the mass of snow in the Colorado mountains commence to melt in the spring is being agitated. It is said to be practically certain that the Rio Grande must be dyked from Pena Blanca, in Sandoval county, to below Las Cruces in Dona Ana county to prevent the ananal destructive overflows.

The losses in this territory last year from foods in the Rio Grande was not less than \$500,000. In a few years the convicts could dyke the river its entire length through New Mexico. The has been requested to investigate this matter and to pass a bill making it possible to dyke the Rio Grande with little expense to the territory. Lands in Sandoval and Valencia, Bernallilo. "Dey say dat big ears am de sign Valencia, Socorro and Dona Ana counties are now worthless on account of mule gibing you anyting but his the angual floods.

A Roswell dispatch says that Gayle Talbott and John Ritchie of Artesia have gone to Santa Fe as a committee It is generally made of biscuit county from parts of Eddy and Chaves five miles south of Galisteo, in San counties, with Artesia as the county seat. The people are divided on the name of the new county, some wanting it called Artesia and others wanting it named Ritchie county, in honor of John Ritchie, the pioneer citizen. Ar-tesia is the town of artesian wells and is less than eighteen months old. The census just completed shows that the

> Fully one-half of the wool clip of the orthern part of New Mexico for next spring already has been contracted for. ing to Las Vegas advices. A quantity has been sold as low as in a pound. Some has gone as a 30 cents, but the average price ne has gone as

# New Corporations.

The following companies filed incorporation papers with the territorial secretary at Santa Fe January 20th: The incorporators and directors are James E. Haines, Benjamin C. Roberts

and John H. Stingle. The Citizens' Bank of Agree; espital, \$15,900. The incorporators are W. H. Williams, Fred Bunker, S. O. Pinkstaff, G. W. McCoy, J. R. Williams, T. A. Pierce, H. D. Abrams, all of Antec.

capitalization, \$12,000. The incorpo-rators and directors are William D. Murray, Joseph W. Bible and Leo A. Rosenfeld. Headquarters at Hanover,

Grant county. The Black Range Copper Mining Company: capitalization, \$1,250,000. The directors and incorporators are B. S. Philips, F. E. Green, L. H. Armstrong, Gladys Allen and E. D. Fair. Principal office, Fairview, Sierra

#### Council Members.

The following are members of the Legislative Council now in session at

First District-Colfax, Mora and Union countles-Jeremiah Leahy. Second District-San Miguel, Leonard Wood and Quay counties—D. C. Winters and John S. Clark.

and Malaquias Martinez. Fourth District-Santa Fe county-

Thomas B. Catron.
Fifth District-Bernalillo, McKinley, and Sandoval countles-Nestor Mon-toya and W. H. Greer. Sixth District-Valencia and Tor-

rance counties-Jacobo Chaves. Seventh District-Socorro and Sterra countles-W. E. Martin. Eighth District-Grant, Dona Ana. Luna and Otero counties-Charles E.

Miller. Ninth District-Grant, Dona Ana, Otero, Lincoln, Chaves, Eddy and Roosevelt countles-Charles L. Bal-

### Cebolleta Grant.

An Albuquerque dispatch says that the commissioners for the partition of the the Cebolleta land grant, Messrs. books of the district clerks and that he Pradt, Moore and Whilting, have concluded their labors and filed their recounty officials be placed on straight port to the court. The grant was partitioned to the following:

Richardson, Raynolds and McMillen. F. W. Clancy et al., B. S. Rodey et al., . Bradford Prince et al., people of Cebolieta and unrepresented owners. A portion of the grant of the northeast corner of 15,000 acres was set up a neat and reliable cook book part to be sold for the purpose of paying the taxes, cost and charges. This grant has been in litigation for more a handsome sum. than thirty years and is just being set-

As stated in Associated Press dispatches the Rough Riders, commanded by Colonel Roosevelt in the Spanish-American war in Cuba, will take part in the inauguration of the ton. The officers from New Mexico in attendance that day will be as follows: Messrs. Fred Mueller of Santa Fe, W.

The Land Office at Santa Fe has received orders from the Department of the Interior to withiraw from settlement thirteen townships west of Santa Fe to be included in the Jemes forest reserve to be established later.

et January 18th and admitted Asso- vania, have been examining the

menmonia and died suddenly Martin, a brother of the deceased, left the ranch a few minutes before she fled for Roswell to get a nurse and physician.

Bills were introduced in the council January 19th appropriating \$25,000 for the relief of the food sufferers of last fall, and for the building of dykes along the Rio Grande, as well as measares repealing the law protecting game birds and the law providing compensation for read supervisors. In the House Speaker Dalles announced the standing committees and bills were introduced, one defining the legal age marriage and the other providing for the building of dams and dykes alrivers as a protection against floods. Contests were filed to-day in the House against R. L. Baca and Ramon Sando val. of Santa Fe. and Sefring Crollet. and Thomas N. Wilkerson of Albu-

Thrown from his team and canaba under a heavy log which was crushing out his life, Antone Gomes, a wealthy Portuguese sheepman, aged 67 years, was picked up unconscious on January 18th in a grove near his ranch, twenty He was hanling wood to his ranch when the mules drawing his wagon ran away. Only two years ago he mar brother, Mauricio Gomez, survives him, in addition to the child The brothers came to New Mexico twenty-five years ago entirely desti-tute and amassed fortunes in sheep

Crowning an eminence in the center of the city of Las Vegas stands the beautiful and substantial main building of the Normal University of New Mexico, an institution that is doing more for the advancement of cause of public education in this ter-ritory than any other in

## Legislature Convenes.

The thirty-sixth Legislative Assem The thirty-sixth Legislative Assembly convened January 16th at noon. Territorial Secretary James Wallace Raymolds administering the oath first to the members of the Council and then to those of the House.

The Council organized by electing John S. Clark of Las Vegas president.

Mesa Park Improvement Company and Harry P. Owen of Albaquerque of Albaquerque: enpital stock, \$50,000. chief clerk. The following officers also

were elected:
Enrolling and engrossing clerk,
Frank P. Chaves; sergeant-at-arms,
Matins Baca; chaplain, Rev. J. L.
Shiveley; messenger, Manuel E. Esquibel; watchman, Autonio Gonzales. After an address by President Clark the
Council adjourned until the next day council adjourned until the next day ut respect to the memory of Col. J.

Francisco Chaves.
The House organized by electing
Carl A. Dalles or Belen, speaker,
George W. Armijo of Santa Fe, chief
clerk, and selecting other employes as follows: Florencia C. De Baca, enrolling and engrossing clerk; Marcelino A Ortiz, sergeant-at-arms; Rev. Adrian Rabeyrole, chaptain; Nester P. Eaton, messenger; Maximin Archuleta, watch

R. M. Pringle, supervisor of engineers for the Interior Department, Washington, D. C., recently arrived in Albuquerque from Gallup. Mr. Pringle has just finished an inspection of the work in progress on the Zuni Indian reservoir and new school buildings are going up on that reservation. He says that the work is going on very satisfactorily and that the schools will be completed by next summer. The work on the dam is well advanced but the reservoir and the irrigation system, which will be built in connection with it, will not be completed for some time vet. Mr. Pringle left for the Mesca lero reservation, where other improvements are being made by the govern-

An Albuquerque dispatch of January Third District—Taos. Rio Arriba and San Juan counties—Alexander Read and Malaquias Martinez.

An Albuquerque and San S. Col. W. S. Hopewell, general manager of the Albuquerque and Malaquias Martinez.

Eastern railroad, arrived to-day from the strenged of the Na-Denver, where he attended the National Live Stock Association convention as a delegate at large from New meeting and although he represented a railroad he had cattle interests as well and had walked out of the meeting with the indignant cattlemen. To-day Colonel Hopewell was busily engaged in straightening out the Albuquerque Eastern right of way tangle, and when seen this evening said that the matter would be be settled satisfactory to all parties concerned. Work on the Eastern continues.

The following is from a paper read before the Farmington Woman's Club: We are now paying the salary of one public teacher. On September 1d an agreement was made whereby each member has been asked to earn \$1 in her own way within the next six months. Nineteen collars a month have been subscribed by the different members for three months, to help pay the teacher now employed by the club. We expect to soon give each member of the club 5 cents to invest in any way she desires, and see how much she can realize from it. One of our good workers is at present getting which will soon be on the market, and from which she will, no doubt, realize

A new macadamized road is being built between Clayton, New Mexico, and the Cimarron river, about thirty-five miles north, for the purpose of hanling machinery, fuel, etc., from Clayton to the mines of the Sater Mining Company, as well as of accommodating all the settlers of the Cimarron country. The Sater Copper Mining Company will put in several large trac-tion engines to do their hauling. One E. Dame of Albuquerque, W. H. H. of these immense machines is now on Liewellyn of Las Cruces, David Leahy the ground. The road, it is estimated. of Alamogordo and C. L. Ballard of will cost about \$7,000 when completed. The county of Union has subscribe \$1,000, and the balance of the mone necessary has been subscribed by the business men of Clayton and Cimarron and by the Sater Copper Mining Company. Work is being pushed as rapidly as possible, and the road will be ready to accommodate traffic early this The Bar Association of New Mexico of the Sater company, from Pennsylciate Justice Edward A. Mann. Alaserties, and are very well satisfied with mogordo; A. J. Abbott, Santa Fe; H. the outbook. The company will put up B. Holt, Las Cruces; Emmet Patten, reduction works on the Cimarron to Roswell; J. M. Peacock, Roswell, as treat their ores as soon as the road is completed.

A Santa Fe dispatch of January th says: Three murders were O. Lynch, a prominent ranchman who lists says: Three murders were lives twenty-four miles west of Ros brought to the attention of District well, left the dend body of his wife Atterney E. C. Abbott to-day, The vicewith his eight-year old son and rude tim of the first was Candido Chaves, twelve miles to his nearest neighbor aged eighteen years, who, in company to notify him of his bereavement. Mrs. with Pedro Jaramillo, Manuel Silva Lynch had been ill several days from and Esquipulo Gallegos, all miners from El Rito, had been an a drinking Late last evening Candido was picked up unconscious by his sister, with bruises on his head, neck and back, from the result of which he died during the night. It is against the law to sell whisky to minors and the father of the deceased, David Chaves, and his uncle, Sixto Chaves, desire not only the prosecution of the boy's murder-ers, but also of those who seld him the whisky upon which he and his companions became intoxicated. The other murders were the killing of James Redding, son of E. S. Redd an old timer of northern New Mexico. and Charles Purdy, both mining men. They were killed at the Guadalupe three miles south of Questa John Conley, a Box mining man, who was working with the two men at the placer, is under arrest charged with having first shot Purdy in the eye and had fallen shooting each in the throat

Rumor has it that Norman Selby known in the sporting world as "Kid McCoy, is thinking of making New Mexico his home. Norman is the scientific boxer and middle weight champlon, and he has already inquired concerning Albuquerque, stating that in the future that city may affort him headquarters. He has corresponded with Duke City parties and he seems enthused about coming to this section. He says that New Mexico is not only a sunny land most of the time, but that its people are cordial, liberal-minded and kind to strangers.—Santa

At the annual convention of the New Mexico Horticultural Society, held at Santa Fe January 11th, the following officers were chosen for the coming president, W. S. Harmon; secret, J. D. Sena; treasurer, Miss E. Ma

The City Council of Santa Fe nate 640 acres to the National Fra filties Sanitarium for Consumpti

# FIGHT MITCHELL

IN MINE WORKERS' CONVENTION

Great Labor Leader Accused of Conspiring to Ruin Colorado Strike-His Course Sustained by

Delegates. Indianapolis. Jan. 20.—In the na-tional convention of the United Mine Workers of America yesterday, John Mitchell, president, was accused by Delegate Robert Randall of Wyoming of having sold out the Colorado strik-ing miners to the operators, of having been a traitor to the miners' organization and of having entered into a con-spiracy with the mine owners, D. M. Parry and Governo: Peahody's peace organizations to ruin the Colorado min-ers and lose them the recent strike.

President Mitchell, replying, took the floor and gave some of the reasons why the national miners' organization had withdrawn its support from the Colorado strikers.
Randall had said that President

Howells of the district asked \$300,000 for the strike, offering to win or lose it on that amount. Mitchell, referring to this, said: "Let me be plain on this. Howells

did not ask for the money. If he had he would not have gotten it; I would not trust him with it." He charged President William H. Howells with irregularities and ex-Na-tional Board Member Gehr with being in collusion with stock brokers. He told how he forced Gehr to resign his

office because of it.

Gehr, he said, admitted that he was to get \$1,000 for advance information oncerning the close of the strike. He also told of Howells leaving Gehr in charge of the strike for a time last

year and said that in two weeks Gehr drew \$35,000 for the strike. "Howells," declared Mr. Mitchell, "Is not a safe witness against anybody." He told how the first and last money sent to the strikers was appropriated by the officers to pay their back sal-

Mr. Mitchell's statements showed a generally had situation. He said that after \$600,000 had been poured into Colorado, the spirit shown by the miners of the state was such that he had re-commended the settlement and that national aid be withdrawn, and he would do so again under the circum-stances. He said he was ready to get out if it was thought best, and re-ferred to the fact that for six years

he had no asked for re-election.

Speeches were made by Vice Presidents T. T. Lewis, Patrick Delan of Pittsburg, W. R. Fairley, who was in charge of the strike, and Secretary Treasurer Wilson. All went to show that the Colorado officers or miners even wanted a per diem for remaining out on strike; they received more money than the anthracite strikers got-figured on a per capita basisand that there was a demand for enough for the strikers to live on tur-

W. E. Jones of Dietz, Wyoming, member of the national executive board, declared that Randall's remarks on the floor of the convention did not represent the sentiment of his local. He said that he was prepared to state that the miners of the West who would endorse President Mitchell's policy in calling off 'he strike in District No. 16 were in the majority by a handsome margin.

## Women Favor Canteen.

Washington, Jan. 20 .- On behalf of the Woman's Army and Navy League, Mrs. Jsoephine Kelton, widow of the late Adjutant General J. C. Kelton, vesterday presented a petition to the Senate committee on military affairs rendered a service of real and high in the interest of the re-establishment importance to the nation in his manof so much of the canteen as permits the sale of beer at army posts.

The petition was signed by 200 ladies, most of whom are related to offloors of the army and navy including Mrs. General Chaffee, Mrs. Admiral Schley and Mrs. Admiral Sampson. Mrs. Kelton said the ladies spoke

from personal experience as to the beneficial effects of the canteen. "As women we admire the Women's Christian Temperance Union, said, "and we think they are doing a wonderful work in the country at large, but we believe that they do not rstand conditions in the army, and are therefore not as capable of advising in this matter as they might be

Chairman Hull remarked after she had concluded that there would be no legislation on that subject at this ses

# Smoot Witnessen.

Washington, Jan. 20 .- Two prominent Gentile women of Utah, one a member of the Legislature that elected Smoot a senator, were witnesses vererday in the Smoot inquiry before the Senate committee on privileges and elections. Both women gave Sinexcellent reputation and testified that

they would not vote for a polygamist. John W. Hughes of Sait Lake, editor of a weekly paper, testified that the sentiment among Gentiles was that President Smith was a fanatic in religion, but that he was thoroughly honest and was keeping the church out of politics. He believed the Gentiles thought it was best to let polygamy die out, as there were few polygamists He had made an investigation into the number of polygamists in Salt Lake and found that there were seventy-four men, nearly all of them old, only two being under fifty years

Republican Boiters. Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 20.-Eight members of the Legislature who voted against Thomas K. Niedringhaus yesterday for United States senator, to night, gave out a long statement. in which they justify their action. They say it behooves the Republican party to elect a senator who is free from suspicion in any way. The statement then reviews the charges against Mr. Niedringhaus in connection with a contribution of \$19,000 by St. Louis ewers to the Republican campaign

fund, and says:
"We feel that it would be a great injustice to the Republicans of this state to elect any man to the exalted posi-tion of United States senator who is

London, Jan. 20.-The London po pers to-day and their St. Petersburg correspondents take the gravest view day's incident was a preme attempt on the life of Emper ins, and maintain that the stri is much more a political than an in-

# CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

Reports from the Kansan wheat belt te a heavy crop next year. Elmer J. Burkett has been elect the United States Senate from to the

Michigan Legislature Senstor Julius Chesar The cleated Senstor Julia

Mme. Loubet, mother of President Loubet of France, died on the 15th inst. at the age of ninety-two years. Bishop John Bryant Small of the African M. E. Church, died at York, Pa., on the 16th inst, at the age of

eventy. Joaquin A. Nubuco De Araujo, pres-ent Brazilian minister to Great Britain, has been appointed ambass Washington.

T. H. Carter has been elected sens tor from Montana, and George S. Nixon will succeed William M. Stewart in Nevada.

Several prominent citizens of Brownsville, Texas, have been indicted on the charge of amuggling goods across the Mexican border.

The record in pension legislation at Washington was beaten on the 14th inst., when 459 bills were passed by the House in 108 minutes. Philander C. Knox, appointed senstor from Pennsylvania to succeed the ate Matthew S. Juay, has been elected

as his own successor in the office.

The newly elected California sena tor is Frank P. riint of Los Angeles. He was born in Massachusetts in 1862, but has lived in California since 1869. Governor Chamberlin of Oregon in his message to the Legislature recom-mends that a law be passed establishing the whipping post for wife beat-

Harriet Clarke Deming Baldwin, a great-granddaughter of Miles Standish, died at her home in Brooklyn on the

Ex-Congressman George Sutherland has been elected United States Senator from Utah to succeed Thomas Kearus, receiving the full Republican vote.

Senator Lodge has been re-elected for a full term by the Massachusetts Legislature, and W. Murray Crane was chosen to complete the remainder of Senator Hoar's term. The Indiana Legislature has elected

Senator Albert J. Beveridge to succeed

himself, and Representative James A. Hemenaway to succeed Vice President-elect Charles W. Fairbanks. President Roosevelt's inauguration suit will be made of broadcloth, manu-factured by a presidential elector who voted for him. Francis T. Maxfield of

Vernon, Connecticut, is the elector.

Ira A. Sanger, a relative of Mrs. George M. Pullman, has been slain Mexican half-breed bandits in the mountain wilds of Sinaloa, Mexico. Robbery was the purpose of the mur-

gagement of Miss Annie M. Sullivan. widely known as the teacher of Helen Keller, the deaf, dumb and blind girl, and John A. Macey, one of the editors of the Youth's Companion. While a procession was entering the Catholic church at Cayamba, near Quito, in Equador, a thunder storm broke and the altar was struck by

lightning, setting fire to the church. A priest and eight other persons were In accepting the resignation of William Williams, Commissioner of Immigration at New York, President Rooseveit declared that Mr. Williams had rendered a service of real and high

agement of the office. In the legislature of Porto Rico a bill declaring for independence under tectorate was killed. The bill was introduced by a m of the Unionist party, but the Republicans supported it and it was de feated by unionist votes.

A newspaper at Rome says that Signor Marconi of wireless telegraphy fame is engaged to marry Princes: Giancinta Rusholi, the youngest daughter of Prince Francesco Rusholi, master of the holy how loe, a high hereditary vatican position.

Mayor Leporte of Montreal is quoted as saying that plans are being made for a great Canadian exposition on the plans of the St. Louis World's Fair, at which the promoters have reasonable assurances that King Edward and Queen Alexandra will be present.

A party of Filipino students num-

ering thirty-one, sent here by the in

sular government, arrived at San Francisco recently. Three are girls wal be distributed among several high schools and colleges in various parts of the country, principally in the South and East. Deposits of Chicago banks are greater now by \$10,000,000 than were ever reported before, the total in four

institutions being in excess of \$602.

teen national and twenty-eight

900,000. The total gain in depos all the banks in Chicago since a year ago is nearly \$190,000,000. The charges reflecting upon the in tegrity of Supreme Court Justice Warren B. Hooker, which were contained in the report of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, were sus-tained by a sub-committee of the New York State Bar Association. recommends a legislative investiga

The California Petroleum Min-Association has issued a report by districts of the crude oil production of California during 1904, showing a to-tal production of 28,423,860 harrels, which, the report says, "places Call-fornia far ahead of any other state in the Union and far ahead of any other country except Russia."

The religious orders, strongly supported by Cardinal Vives y Tuto, arrurging the Vatican to press for the payment of the money awarded by the United States for the purchase of the friars' lands in the Philippines. 'Vatican has replied that nothing be done in the prendess until Arbishop Agius, the apostolic dejegate the Philippines, arrives at Manila is makes his report on the climbin.

The hattleship Ohio has g cruise from San Francisco shed on the Fo

turer of Post Artive.

LAY RELPLESS AND SPERCELLES. FOR HOURS AT A TIME.

ng Spells, Handacher, Ristemation Counsel by Pour Black-Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When Mrs. Williams was saked for some details of the fearful illness from which she had so long suffered, she spoke

·· Ever since I had nervous about thirteen years ago, I have had periodical spells of complete exhaustion. Any excitement or unusual activity would throw me into a state of lifeless.

ness. At the beginning my street would come back in a moderate but the period of weakness kept leening until at last I would lie he as many as three hours at a street.

"You were under medical treat. of course?

of course?"

"Yes, when I became so had that I had to give up my housework, in May of 1905, I was being treated for hidney trouble, and later the doctor thought my difficulties came from change of life. I was not only weak, but I had dizy feelings, polyitation of the heart, misery after enting, hot flashes, norvous headnehes, rheumatic pains in the lock and hips. The doctor did me so little good that I wave up his treatment, and really that I wave up his treatment, and really that I gave up his treatment, and really feared that my case was incurable."

"What saved you from your state of hopelessness?" "In July of 1903 I had a very bad spell, and my husband came in one day with a little book which told of remarkable cures effected by a remedy for the blood and the nerves, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He bought a box for me, and that was the beginning of my return to health. My appointe grew keen, my food no longer distressed me, my nerves were quieted, and my strength began to re-

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